

TABLE 2
**AGE-ADJUSTED* MORTALITY RATES FOR ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND OTHER LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH,
ARIZONA, 1990-2000**

Cause of death	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
DISEASES OF HEART	263.8	251.2	255.5	263.9	247.7	229.3	218.0	207.6	189.4	194.6	206.1
MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	190.4	193.3	190.5	191.9	190.7	177.5	178.0	172.9	158.2	166.4	170.4
CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES	54.6	52.8	51.5	54.6	54.6	50.3	51.3	50.7	44.7	43.5	51.7
CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES	44.4	45.1	43.1	47.7	44.3	44.6	44.9	47.3	43.3	45.7	47.4
ACCIDENTS (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY)	42.6	38.3	40.9	43.3	46.5	45.7	46.5	45.0	44.7	44.1	41.1
INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA**	27.4	25.6	22.0	24.7	21.7	19.1	19.8	18.7	19.1	23.0	24.4
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE**	9.6	10.6	12.3	14.3	14.4	13.7	16.0	14.3	14.1	16.0	21.8
DIABETES	15.6	16.2	17.4	16.6	18.7	18.3	19.5	19.7	18.8	20.0	19.0
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE)	19.0	17.9	17.4	19.1	20.2	19.8	17.2	17.7	17.7	15.8	14.6
CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS	12.4	13.4	12.0	13.6	14.2	13.6	12.5	13.7	12.0	12.0	12.8
NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME AND NEPHROSIS**	10.7	10.8	12.9	11.6	10.3	8.3	8.6	8.5	8.5	9.7	11.7
ASSAULT (HOMICIDE)	8.1	8.8	9.3	9.7	11.7	12.5	10.6	10.1	9.9	9.2	7.6
SEPTICEMIA**	7.3	8.0	8.4	8.5	6.8	6.8	7.3	8.0	7.4	8.1	6.7
ALL CAUSES	839.9	825.5	834.3	865.0	850.1	804.8	796.4	771.8	720.9	752.8	785.6

*Adjusted to the 2000 standard U.S. population. The cause-of-death titles are according to the Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10). The causes of death for 2000 are classified by ICD-10. The causes of death for 1990-1999 are classified by the Ninth Revision (ICD-9). The rates are per 100,000 population.

**Comparability-modified rates.